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## ONE BY ONE THEY ARE HACKED TO PIECES

Desperate Hand to Hand Struggle of the Members of the Foreign Legations at Peking Against Chinese Mob.

## HAS HOPES FOR CONGER AND AMERICANS

Women Outraged and Butchered in a Fearful Manner and the Children Brained in the Awful Slaughter.

## ALLIED FORCES AT TIEN TSIN DEFEATED

Details of the Massacre of Foreigners in Peking—China Gives Out the Real Truth Piece-Meal—Dispatches That Confirm News of Their Slaughter—Did Not Die, However, Until One Desperate Sortie—Try to Cut Their Way Through Their Besiegers—They Kill Hundreds of Boxers in the Attempt—Details of the Horrible Story May Never Be Known—Not One Thought to Have Been Spared.

Washington, July 16.—[Special Telegram]—The State department received information this morning which leads it to believe that Minister Conger and the American legation has not been molested.

Mr. Conger has been on a very friendly footing with Prince Tuan and it is hoped that he and his family and the American officials have all been saved.

Washington, July 16.—[Special Cablegram]—Admiral Remey cables from Che Foo, July 16, as follows:

"It is reported that the allied forces attacked the native city on the morning of July 13. The Russians were on the right with the United States Ninth Infantry and the marines on the left.

"The losses to the allied forces were large, the Russians losing over one hundred, including an artillery colonel; the Americans over thirty; the British over forty, and the Japanese fifty-eight, including Col. French and twenty-five men.

"Col. Liscum of the Ninth infantry was killed, also Captain Davis of the Marine corps. Captain Lemley and Lieutenants Butler and Leonard were wounded.

"A seven o'clock last evening the allied attack of the native city was repulsed with great losses. Returns are yet incomplete and details can not yet be confirmed."

American Loss Over 250

Washington, July 16.—[Special Telegram]—Remey's dispatch, telling of the repulse of the attack of the allied forces upon the native city of Tien Tsin, with losses amounting to over two hundred and fifty, including Colonel Liscum, commander of the Ninth, was received with consternation at the war department.

A hurried consultation was immediately held by the secretaries of war, navy and state. It is certain Remey's dispatch is based upon authentic sources of information.

The Ninth regiment sailed from Manila June 18, arrived at Taku July 7, and arrived at Tien Tsin with a battalion of marines on the morning of July 12. Twenty-four hours later it was engaged in a deadly battle.

It is reported that the loss is 25 per cent heavier than at the battle of Santago.

More Troops from England

London, July 16.—[Special Cablegram]—It is stated that the English contingent for China will be raised to nearly fifty thousand troops. It is hoped here that the United States will also send that quota.

Battle on June 11 and 12

An official dispatch from Tien Tsin dated July 11 says the enemy that morning determinedly attacked the garrison at the railway station, which is composed of a hundred each of British, French and Japanese troops. The Chinese were repulsed after four hours' fighting, losing five hundred killed; the British three killed and eight wounded, and the French and Japanese losses were considerably heavier.

A dispatch dated July 13 describes

It is possible that a complete list of the foreigners killed in the general massacre at Peking can never be known, for it is feared a number of tourists and others must be included in the lists of those known to be there. The following is a list of those known to have been or believed to have been in the Chinese capital and to have fallen victim to the mob.

### American Legation at Peking

Edward Conger, United States Minister, Mrs. E. H. Conger, Miss Jessie Conger, Miss Laura Conger.

Herbert G. Squier of New York, first secretary of the legation.

Mrs. H. G. Squier and four children, William E. Bainbridge of Council Bluffs, Iowa, second secretary of the legation.

Fleming C. Cheshire, interpreter.

Mrs. M. S. Woodward of Chicago.

Miss Ion Woodward of Chicago.

Miss Cecile Payen of Chicago.

Miss Mary Pierce of Des Moines, Iowa, niece of Mrs. Conger.

Mary Dinsin Smith of Washington, D. C.

Captain John T. Myers, commanding marine guards at American Embassy.

Captain N. H. Ball, second in command of marine guard.

Thomas N. Lippitt, assistant surgeon, U. S. medical officer of marine guard.

Fifty-eight sailors and marines.

### AMERICAN MISSIONARIES AT PEKING

Presbyterian

Rev. John Wherry, D. D. Rev. J. L. Whiting, Rev. C. H. Fendt, Mrs. C. H. Fendt,

Rev. Charles A. Killie, Mrs. Charles A. Killie, Dr. John M. Ingalls, Mrs. John M. Ingalls,

Eliza E. Leonard, M. D. Miss Grace Newton, Miss Jessie McCoy, Miss Jessie McKilliam,

Rev. W. A. F. Martin, Rev. W. A. F. Martin.

Methodist

Rev. F. D. Gamowell, Rev. H. E. King, Dr. John D. Lowry, Miss Alice Torrell,

Mrs. C. M. Jewell, Miss L. Miner, Miss Anna D. Glose, M. D.,

Miss Elsie G. Young, Miss Gertrude Gilman,

Rev. J. F. Haynor, Mrs. J. F. Haynor,

Dr. D. W. Curtis, Mrs. D. W. Curtis.

Congregational

Rev. H. S. Galt, Mrs. H. S. Galt,

Miss Jane E. Chapin, Miss L. Miner,

Miss Virginia C. Mar-

ock, M. D., Miss Nellie M. Russell,

Rev. W. P. Spragg, Rev. W. P. Spragg,

Rev. William Kirkman, Rev. William Kirkman,

Rev. H. Lukesbury, Miss H. E. Shefield,

Miss Grace Wiboff, Miss Gertie Wilcox,

American Board

Rev. W. S. Ament, Rev. C. E. Ewing,

Mrs. C. E. Ewing, Rev. L. J. Mateer,

Mrs. J. L. Mateer, Miss A. Horn,

Dr. J. H. Ingram, Mrs. J. H. Ingram,

Rev. D. Sheffield, Mrs. D. Sheffield,

Rev. H. Kingsman, Mrs. H. Kingsman,

Miss J. G. Vans, Miss M. E. Andrews,

Miss A. Chapin, Rev. J. H. Roberts.

tremendous fighting in progress that day. Twenty thousand Chinese attacked the wall of the city. The enemy has placed guns within eight hundred yards of the British and French settlements and is continuing a galling fire.

### Facts Known at Washington

Washington, July 16.—[Special Telegram]—The department of state has information of horrible atrocities in Peking against foreigners, including all Americans, but the department is suppressing the facts.

The women and little girls have been tortured to death and their bodies torn to fragments. The men have been tortured into lingering deaths.

### Tortured by the Chinese

All of the legations have been destroyed. The American minister, his wife, his daughters, visiting friends and all Americans in Peking have suffered vile outrages and deaths that oriental savagery could devise and inflict.

The Chinese have torn the American flag to shreds and smeared the rags with blood from the wounds of the dying Americans.

### Danger to Allies at Tien Tsin

These facts are known to the department of state, but they are communicated in confidence only to a few who are officially entitled to know of the actual conditions.

The state department also knows that not less than 50,000 of the imperial soldiers aided the "boxers" and that they carried the imperial Chinese flag while they engaged in the savage torture and butchery.

The allied forces at Tien Tsin are now being surrounded and there is grave fear for their extermination.

### Sortie of Legation Guards

London, July 16.—The Shanghai correspondent of The Express on the alleged authority of couriers who brought the story, gives a very sensational account of the massacre at Peking. He says: "Maddened with hunger, after having been without food for many days, the members of the legation and the guards made a sortie on the night of June 30, and killed 200 Chinese in an unexpected attack.

### To Kill Every Foreigner

Gen. Tung Fuh Siang, enraged over the loss of so many men, brought up heavy guns and Prince Tuan gave the order that every foreigner must be destroyed. His words were 'Destroy every foreign vestige and make China a sealed book to all Western powers.'

"Prince Tuan had previously discovered that Prince Ching was supplying the foreigners with ammunition. He therefore ordered Gen. Tung Fuh Siang to fire on Prince Ching's troops and it is reported that Ching was killed or seriously wounded.

### Final Attempt of the Legations

In the final attempt to cut their way through, the legations formed a square, with the women and children in the center. When the boxers realized that they were being attacked they became like wild beasts and shot each other with revolvers.

"Heavy guns bombarded all night until the buildings were demolished and

but it was impossible for the force to get away and carry the wounded men with them.

Seymour, it is reported, went to the men with streaming eyes, asked them whether they would prefer to be shot by their own commander or left to the tender mercies of the Chinese.

He informed them that it would be impossible for him to do anything for them and the wounded at once pleaded for death at the hands of their own men.

A firing squad was made up and while the little allied force under Seymour held off the Chinese that swarmed around, a few volleys relieved the army of its burden of wounded and cheated the fanatics of their prospective victims.

### TO PUT GEN. MILES IN COMMAND

Special Session of Congress Likely Over the Chinese Trouble.

Washington, July 16.—There are circumstantial reports abroad that this government, with the sanction of congress—which, it is believed, must now be called in extra session—will dispatch 50,000 troops to China and that Gen. Miles will go in command of the expedition.

Gen. Miles called on Chinese Minister Wu and had a long conference on the military situation in China. Many war maps were consulted, and it is said that the general is fully convinced that an American army could march to Peking as an independent command. The war department officials and the state department heads are thoroughly displeased by the discord now apparent among the allied forces in Tien-Tsin, and, moreover, they are determined that Minister Conger shall be rescued if alive and avenged if dead. At present the force already ordered to China of 10,000 men is too small for a lieutenant general's command, but Gen. Miles is attending busily to the details of this force, which will be under Gen. Chaffee. It is freely admitted in official circles that the confirmation of Mr. Conger's death, the spread of the revolt and the confirmation of the complicity of the Chinese government really will mean war.

### Governor Favors the "Boxers."

Secretary Hay received an undated dispatch from Consul General Goodnow, at Shanghai, stating that the governor of Honan-Shansi has issued a proclamation favorable to its terms to the "Boxers." The news only goes to confirm the general belief that the situation in China steadily is growing worse instead of better.

### Bishop Fantozzi Killed

Rome, July 16.—The Italian consul at Shanghai cables that the Italian mission in Hu Nap has been destroyed and Bishop Fantozzi and two missionaries killed. He also reports that the Italian missions in Ho Nan and Hupe have been assaulted.

### Ask Prayers for the Impoverished

Shanghai, July 16.—The American missionaries ask The Associated Press to publish the following: "To the Christian people of the United States: The missionaries in China ask a special prayer from every pulpit for the guidance of the government and the speedy succor of Americans and native converts in extreme peril."

### DE GIERS BOILED ALIVE

French Torture of French Ambassador and Wife

St. Petersburg, July 16.—An official dispatch to the Russian foreign office confirms the report that M. de Giers, the Russian minister, was boiled alive in Peking after suffering the most cruel tortures. He and his family were dragged through the streets by Boxers and tortured with sticks. His body was fed to the dogs. Mme. de Giers was subjected to the most revolting tortures before death ended her sufferings. A declaration of war by the czar is expected. The czar is grief-stricken over the news of the slaughter in the Chinese capital. As he read the story of the French murder of De Giers it is said the czar wept. In the midst of the outrages M. de Giers is said, encouraged by his wife, to have boldly proclaimed his faith in Christianity. The legation officials and the envoy's heroic bodyguard fought desperately to the last, but their efforts were of no avail. They died, says the dispatch, as did the martyred followers of Christ under the hellish tortures of Nero. The Russo-Korean relations are of the best. The Korean minister and his cabinet are said to be favorably impressed with Russia's activity in China, and with her lenient attitude toward Japan.

### Great War Is on in China

Washington, July 16.—A great war opened in China, with the Japanese in the front line and with the heaviest reserves immediately available. Three American battalions and about 13,000 Japanese troops have reached Tien Tsin since these two battles were fought, so that the allied forces now exceed 25,000 men, with contingents slowly dribbling into Taku.

War has not been formally declared, but it is in progress, with every indication that it will continue indefinitely until the government now in power is overthrown and the empire broken up into a series of European and Japanese provinces and protectorates.

### OBBLIGE TO KILL THE WOUNDED

Seymour Has Them Shot to Escape Torture From Chinese.

London, July 16.—It is reported from Shanghai that the most horrible feature of the fighting at Tien Tsin was that Admiral Seymour was obliged to kill his wounded in order to prevent them from falling into the hands of the Chinese.

Bodies of some of the men who had been captured by the Boxers while still alive show that they have been subjected to the most horrible tortures.

Admiral Seymour in retreat found that he was unable absolutely to care for his wounded. He gave a hearing to all who had any suggestions to make,

and

### NOTIFY WOOLLEY IN CHICAGO

Prohibition Nominee for the Presidency to be Officially Informed

Chicago, July 16.—Preparations are in progress to render the nomination of J. G. Woolley as the official nominee for the presidency of the prohibition party an affair of more than ordinary interest. The ceremony will be held in Central Music hall on July 20 and a large number of the more prominent men in the temperance cause have already signified their intention to be present at the event.

A large attendance is expected not only from all parts of the state, but also from all over the country, and it is the avowed intention of the prohibitionists to make this meeting the largest that has ever been held by them for a similar purpose.

### EARTHQUAKES DO MUCH HARM

Upheavals in the Caucasus Mountains Kill Six Persons.

St. Petersburg, July 16.—Severe earthquakes in the Kars and Kavkaz districts of the Caucasus mountains resulted in the destruction of five villages, several churches and many houses. Six persons were killed and nine injured. Additional shocks are still being reported.

### REPUBLICANS BIG RALLY IN ST. PAUL

National League Convention Begins There Tomorrow—Gov. Roosevelt Will Deliver an Address.

St. Paul, Minn., July 16.—Arrangements are completed for the republican national league convention to be held in St. Paul three days, beginning tomorrow. National Secretary D. H. Stine has been here for some time working with the local committee, and said today that he had already received notice of the coming of 1,500 delegates and alternates, though he believes the number will exceed 2,000 league delegates.

**EXPECT FINE SPORT  
ON LAKE AND FIELD****WISCONSIN HUNTERS SAY GAME  
IS PLENTIFUL.**

Blue Bill Ducks Reported to Have Rearred Their Young at Lake Koshkonong for the First Time in Many Years—Season an Ideal One—A Shooter's Ideas.

Wisconsin sportsmen claim that game will be quite plentiful this fall. The season has been unusually propitious for hatching and the strict enforcement of that section of the law relating to the spring shooting of aquatic fowl is said to be responsible for the large numbers that are expected to be in evidence this fall.

The young birds are said to be already taking to the wing, although according to the law shooting is not permitted until Sept. 1, when there will be a general rush to marshes and upland. A sportsman said today to a reporter that this year, the first time in many a season blue bill have hatched at Lake Koshkonong. He attributed this directly to the enforcement of that section prohibiting spring shooting. This is an extremely unusual occurrence, but owing to the fact that the birds were not disturbed last spring the blue bills instead of proceeding to their northern homes in British Columbia, halted in this section in their flight and reared their young here. Similar reports have been received from other parts of the state, and sportsmen believe that the shooting this fall will be exceedingly good.

The birds this spring have not been disturbed in their nesting. The season was an ideal one for the rearing of their young. There was no high water to drown out the nests after they were once built, and the season in every way was an excellent one, as the birds were not disturbed. The wood duck is invariably the first to rear its young. They are already on the wing. Mallard and teal are said to be doing well, and it is reported that some of the variety are out. In anticipation of unlawful poaching, game wardens have already been sent to the marshes which are owned by clubs and private parties, to watch the game, and stop any infraction of the law which may occur.

**SON FEELS ANXIOUS**

Henry Smith of Beloit, Has Heard Nothing From His Parents Who Are In China

Notwithstanding the reports that have come through the missionary societies stating that Rev. Arthur H. Smith and wife were safe in China, their son, Henry Smith, a junior of Beloit college, who resides in the Line City, has heard nothing of his parents since he received letters from them in May. They were then in Peking and spoke of their coming danger. Dr. Henry Porter, a friend of Arthur Smith, has communicated with his friends. Arthur Smith, graduated from Beloit college in 1897. His wife was Miss Dickinson of Beloit.

## Tobacco Sales.

The summer dullness now rules in the tobacco market. The sales of Seed Leaf tobacco reported by J. S. Gans' Son, broker, No. 128 Water street, New York, for the week ending July 16, 1900:

600 cases, crop of 1899, New England Havana at 18 to 25 cents.  
150 cases crop of 1897, Zimmer, Spanish, at 16 to 17 cents.  
400 cases, crop of 1898, Zimmer, Spanish, at 12½ to 14 cents.  
800 cases, crop of 1898, Wisconsin Havana, at 11½ to 12 cents.  
Total, 1,950 cases.

If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth  
Be sure and use the old and well tried remedy  
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children  
teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums  
allay pain, cures wind colic, and is the best  
remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bot-  
tle.

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On July 3rd and 17th, August 7th and 21st, Sept. 4th and 18th, good for 21 days, at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip, to points west, south and southwest. For tickets and further information call at C. M. & St. P. Ry passenger depot.

**JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES**

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market. Corrected by P. H. Bump.

**Flour**—Retails at \$14.25 per sack.  
**Bran**—Retails at 75¢ per 100 lbs., \$15.00 per ton.  
**Middlings**—75¢ per 100 lbs., \$15.00 per ton.  
**Feed**—75¢ per 100 lbs., \$14.00 per ton.

**Wheat**—Fair to best grades, 70¢ to 75¢

**Rye**—Steady, at 80¢ to 82¢

**Parched**—Dull, ranges at 40¢ to 44¢

**Hay**—Timothy, \$11¢ to \$12.00; other kinds \$9.00 to \$10.00 per ton.

**Egg**—Crate, \$1.00 to \$1.50 per ton\*

**Sugar**—\$4.50 to \$5.00 per ton.

**Potash**—20¢ to 25¢ per bushel

**Potash**—Chickens dressed, 8¢ to 9¢.

**Dates**—Wanted, 23¢ to 25¢.

**Beans**—\$1.75 to \$2.25 per bushel.

**Clover Seeds**—\$6.50 to \$7.00 per 100 lbs.

**Timothy Seeds**—\$2.50 to \$2.75 per 100 lbs.

**Butter**—75¢ to 77¢

**Eggs**—9¢ to 10¢ per dozen.

**Wood**—Wainscot, 25¢ to 27¢; unvarnished, 19¢ to 21¢.

**Hives**—Gum, 26¢ to 28¢; dry, 26¢ to 28¢.

**Pewter**—Quotable at 50¢ to 51¢.

**Cattle**—\$2.50¢ to \$4.50¢ per wt.

**Hogs**—4.00 to \$5.20 per wt.

I want to let the people who suffer from rheumatism and sciatica know that Chamberlain's Pain Balm relieved me after a number of other medicines and a doctor had failed. It is the best liniment I have ever known of.—J. A. Dodgen, Alpharetta, Ga. Thousands have been cured of rheumatism by this remedy. One application relieves the pain. For sale by Smith's Pharmacy, next to P. O. Kodak agents.

**CLEAR AWAY THE FIRE WRECK**

Wisconsin Carriage Company Busy With the Work These Days

The work of clearing up the ruins of the Wisconsin Carriage company factory which was recently destroyed by fire is progressing as rapidly as possible. The cinders and ashes in the basement are about four feet deep, and the work has been a disagreeable as well as a slow job.

**GOLFER VARDON BROKE THE RECORD**

Janesville golfers were much interested in the outcome of the golf play at Lake Geneva by Harry Vardon the English professional. Friday he broke the record of the club course by three strokes by playing the first nine holes in 36. Saturday morning his playing was not up to the standard of his work on Friday. Saturday afternoon Vardon played Walter Egan the club's champion, and Tolleson the club's professional. He covered the first nine holes in 38 and the second in 39. The score of the best ball against him was first nine in 40 and the second 9 in 36, leaving Vardon one down. Vardon's driving was excellent, but he lost on putting. A gallery of about three hundred followed the players around the course and many brilliant plays evoked great applause.

**SUNDAY'S BASEBALL SCORES.**

## STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	National League.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Brooklyn	.....	43	24	.642
Chicago	.....	37	32	.536
Philadelphia	.....	37	33	.536
Pittsburg	.....	38	33	.535
Cincinnati	.....	35	36	.493
St. Louis	.....	31	36	.453
Boston	.....	29	37	.439
New York	.....	22	42	.344

## American League.

	American League.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	.....	30	50	.505
Milwaukee	.....	42	32	.568
Indianapolis	.....	40	32	.556
Cleveland	.....	37	35	.514
Minneapolis	.....	35	41	.403
Detroit	.....	34	40	.459
Kansas City	.....	35	44	.443
Buffalo	.....	31	43	.419

## American League.

	American League.	At Detroit	Attendance
Detroit	.....	1 0 0 0 4 0 1	—6
Cleveland	.....	0 6 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	—1
At Milwaukee	.....	—	3,500.
Milwaukee	.....	1 1 6 0 0 0 0 0	—8
Indianapolis	.....	0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2	—

## National League.

	National League.	At Chicago	Attendance
Chicago	.....	2 0 1 1 1 0 0 0	—6
Pittsburg	.....	2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0	—3
At Cincinnati	.....	9,500.	—
Cincinnati	.....	8 2 0 0 0 0 0 3 1	—3
St. Louis	.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	—0
Attendance	.....	6,500.	—

## GAMES PLAYED SATURDAY.

	American League.	At Detroit	Attendance
Buffalo	.....	0 1 1 4 0 0 6	—6
Minneapolis	.....	1 0 0 4 0 1 6	—6
At Buffalo	.....	—	2,500.
Buffalo	.....	2 2 0 0 0 1 5 0	—10
Kansas City	.....	1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2	—4
Attendance	.....	2,500.	—

## National League.

	National League.	At Chicago	Attendance
Pittsburg	.....	2 0 1 1 1 0 0 0	—6
Minneapolis	.....	2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2	—5
At Cleveland	.....	3,000.	—
Cleveland	.....	2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2	—5
Minneapolis	.....	0 0 0 1 2 0 1 0	—4
Attendance	.....	3,000.	—

## GAMES PLAYED SUNDAY.

	American League.	At Philadelphia	Attendance
Boston	.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	—1
At Boston	.....	—	2,784.
Boston	.....	2 2 0 0 0 1 5 0	—1
Attendance	.....	2,784.	—

## National League.

	National League.	At Brooklyn	Attendance
Pittsburg	.....	1 0 0 2 1 1 1 0 0	—6
Chicago	.....	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1	—4
Detroit	.....	1 0 0	

**CAPTURED FOR A SPY.**

A Young American Held as a Prisoner by the Boers.

**EXPERIENCE OF STEPHEN B. MUSITS**

**HIS CAPTORS REFUSED TO RECOGNIZE AN AMERICAN PASSPORT — COURT MARTIALED AND FOUND NOT GUILTY—FINALLY ESCAPED TO KIMBERLEY AND HAS A CLAIM FOR DAMAGES.**

An interesting story of the experiences of a young American in the South African war, arrested and court-martialed as a spy by the Boers, is brought out by a claim for damages which is soon to be filed in the state department by Senator Proctor, writes the Washington correspondent of the New York Sun. The young man who makes the claim is Stephen B. Musits, son of a physician of New York. He went to South Africa with a Mr. Remington of New York three years ago to try his luck in the Kimberley mines and until the outbreak of the war had a very successful career for a young man of 18. In communication which young Musits sent to Senator Proctor through his parents, asking for the assistance of the United States government in recovering his property lost during the war, he refers to many thrilling experiences and hairbreadth escapes. His communication is in the form of a diary covering his experiences from the time of the outbreak of the war to the relief of besieged Kimberley.

When the war first commenced, Musits was residing at Waldack's plant. Learning that the Boers were arranging for a march on Barkly, young Musits decided to slip through the Boer lines and get to Kimberley. "Everything went well," he writes, "until I was within six or seven miles of Kimberley, when I saw a party of Boers a mile away. Being so near to Kimberley and knowing my horse was easily able to run away from them, I thought I would risk it; so, putting spurs to the animal, I started. I had gone only about a thousand yards when I ran into a party of Dutch. They surrounded me and took me prisoner. Being taken before their commander, I showed him my passport, but as he could not read English or did not want to, I cannot say which, he kept me prisoner. They took my horse, money, etc., and then made me undress myself stark naked while they searched my clothes. They even took off the shoes of the horse and looked for dispatches. I was then allowed to dress and taken to a tent, where I was guarded day and night.

"The first night I felt rather homesick. I could see Kimberley, its lights, etc., and every now and then the searchlights would shine upon the camp. For four days I was kept at this camp, with nothing to eat except coffee, without sugar or milk, and some fat cakes. Water was very scarce, and I was only allowed to wash once in that time. I was then sent into the Free State under an escort. Nothing was given back to me except my saddle and bridle, which were put upon one of their horses.

"Arriving at the Free State, I was handed over to the commander. He was a very good sort of a man, and as I had known him while digging in the Transvaal he treated me with the greatest of kindness, giving me my freedom on condition that I would not run away. After four days there I was taken to another camp about 30 miles away. At this place I was taken before a Boer court, tried by nine officers, who after an hour of questions decided that they could not find any charge against me and appeared very sorry that I had been taken prisoner. They decided, however, to send me back to the Transvaal camp, where the general should decide what should be done with me. I was sent back the same day, a distance of 40 miles. Not finding the general there, we continued to another camp at Riverton, 17 miles from Kimberley. It was the largest camp I had seen, numbering about 4,000 men and about 600 wagons. The general being absent, I had to await orders and lived a few days more on coffee and fat cake. At last orders came to take me to the siege camp, ten miles from Kimberley, where I was tried again by court martial on the charge of being a spy. Twelve Boer officers composed the court, and they simply worried the life out of me asking the most foolish questions you can imagine. I was weak from want of food and sleep, and if I had not thought that I was fighting for my life I would have given in.

"The court found me not guilty of being a spy; but as I knew too much concerning the cannons and number of men surrounding Kimberley, they decided that the best place for me until the war was over would be at the Bloemfontein prison. I asked them if they respected an American passport, but they told me the United States was helping England, and consequently it was of no use. I swore at them and told them they would have to take the consequences, but they only laughed. The following day I was taken to one of the advance works, and I was there only a few minutes when shells began bursting around us. The troops from Kimberley were shelling the fort. The wounded were lying around us, one poor chap having both legs blown off. It was a terrible sight, but gradually I became used to it, and, instead of keeping my head under cover, I watched the puffs of smoke from the British guns. I must have remained watching for a few minutes when suddenly turning around to see how the Dutch were getting along—was for Boer bravery—they had all fled, leaving their dead and wounded behind them and myself

unprotected! Now was my chance to escape, but without a horse it seemed impossible, as the Boers would surely have shot at me from the hills. After sundown they returned and took me back to camp.

"Next morning I was awakened by the sound of heavy guns, which continued all day. On the following morning I started on my way to Bloemfontein, guarded by two Boers. They gave me a very fine horse; also my own saddle and bridle. We had been riding for an hour or so when we stopped to water our horses and give them a rest at a small pub surrounded by trees. Somehow or other I happened to let my horse stray, and when we were ready to start I asked one of the Boers to go and look for him, but he told me to get it myself. As soon as I came close to the horse I picked up a stone and hit him with it, chasing him about 700 yards until I was in the open and could see Kimberley, seven miles away, across the veldt. I then jumped on the horse and, putting spurs to him, started away.

"The first thing I heard was something whistling by my head and then two reports. Turning around, I got sight of my guards coming after me as hard as they could, and every now and then I heard a report. I was only about four miles from Kimberley when I saw a party of Dutch trying to head me off about three-quarters of a mile away. Turning my horse in another direction, I kept clear of them and was just thinking I was safe when my horse stepped into a hole, and off I went. Jumping up, I saw the horse running as hard as he could, 50 yards away and in another direction, with the Boers following him.

"How it happened I don't know, but the horse stopped and waited until I caught him. Mounting, I dug my spurs into the poor animal. Nearer and nearer I came to Kimberley until again I was stopped, this time by a wire fence. I rode along until I came to a gate. I found the gate locked, with a chain twisted around it. I could see the Boers about 300 yards away watching me. Not having anything to cut wire or break the gate, I finally succeeded, after a hard struggle, in lifting it off its hinges. Jumping on the horse, I took one last look at the Boers and cleared. About 2,000 yards beyond the gate I was met by a company of troops who had been sent out to meet me. This must have been the reason the Boers did not follow me up to the gate. Arriving in Kimberley, I was taken to the commanding officer's house and treated with the utmost kindness by the British officers. I subsequently called on the American consul, and after taking my statements in regard to what the Boers had taken from me, he gave me a check for £25 and sent me to a hotel, directing me to remain quiet and not take up arms."

Young Musits gives a detailed account of the conditions in the besieged city until its final relief. "A short time before this happy event occurred," he writes, "food was becoming very scarce, especially beef, and, as horseflesh is about the only thing obtainable, we shut our eyes and eat it and remain content. The first two or three times I tried horse meat I could hardly keep it quiet. It wanted to get up and run away, but now I enjoy it. I suppose it is because I have to or go without."

**FILIPINO BAMBOO CANNON.**

Loaded With Stones and Horseshoes They Do Deadly Work.

W. W. Shumate, pay yeoman, acting as assistant paymaster on the United States steamship Marquette, has written his father, at Columbia, S. C., an interesting account of experiences in the Philippines, says the New York Tribune. A description of the bamboo cannon used by some of the "Gouges," as the Filipinos are called, is given in the story of an attack made by the Marquette on the town of Taal, on the south side of Luzon. Horseshoes are generally considered as giving good luck, but they are not sought after when coming from the mouth of a cannon.

After shelling the town, Shumate says, assisting in an attack by the infantry, a party landed from the Marquette to take provisions to the soldier boys. They received a volley from the retreating Filipinos. The infantry suffered six casualties, two men being killed and four wounded. One of the men had the bones of his leg shattered and a terrible wound inflicted by a horseshoe fired from a bamboo cannon. They found several of these guns mounted in the works, and one still loaded with stones and horseshoes. The barrels of the guns had been strengthened by jackets from larger bamboos fitted on and then bands of iron.

**NEW HOMING PIGEON RECORD.** A new world's record for homing pigeon flying has been created by Mackey in the 600 mile race of the Independent District of the National Association of American Homing Pigeon Fanciers, which was from Greenville, S. C., to Newark, N. J. The bird, which is owned by Charles Rothacker of the latter city, arrived at its loft on the same day it was liberated, having attained an average speed of 1,441.94 yards per minute, says the New York World. Of the 35 birds entered four others also "homed" later on the same day. The work of these leading birds is all the more remarkable because they were kept in shipping baskets fully a week before being liberated owing to the weather. The weather, however, was all that could be desired during the race, a light southwest wind and a clear sky prevailing throughout.

**SPALDING IN HAWAII.** Professor Henshaw of Hilo has discovered a new growth of sandalwood trees, averaging ten feet in height, in the Oahu forests, says the Hawaiian Star. It was supposed that this tree was extinct in the islands.

**TWO WIDOWS AND A SALTED MINE.** A good story is told about how two prospectors had sailed a mine in the Galena district in order to rob a couple of rich widows, which resulted in the aforesaid widows becoming much wealthier.

The prospectors had spent their last cent in digging a hole in the ground to the extent of 10 feet without striking anything but yellow clay. But one of them knew of two rich widows who were just spoiling to have their money sunk in a mine. Accordingly they spent two nights in salting their mine. They hadn't sufficient money to buy some paying dirt, but they stole this from a neighboring mine and hauled a lot of it over to dump into their mine. When several tons of this "paying dirt" had accumulated in the bottom of their mine, the widows were sent for, and while one was talking about the increasing value of the district the other was dumping out all kinds of lead and zinc ore before their astonished eyes.

The widows bought a half interest in that hole in the ground for \$1,500. The next day there was no more ore in the shaft, and the fellows declared they would dig no longer. Then the widows bought the other half interest at a total cost of \$2,000, and the men hiked out for Missouri, laughing in their sleeves. But the women, blindly believing that there must be more ore, continued with the digging and at a depth of ten additional feet struck the richest vein of the whole belt, realizing \$75,000 in less than one year's time.—Kansas City Journal.

**DUTIES OF A MISSIONARY IN AFRICA.**

He is a teacher, but he must also be a builder, for houses, cattle pens, stores and outhouses have to be constructed by the missionary. He must also be a doctor of medicine and a dentist. He must dose the sick natives, who will trust him implicitly to cure them of even leprosy, and he must be able to draw the most solidly rooted molar that ever grew in the skull of a black man. More than this, he must be his own cobbler, and when his boots wear out he must be able to resole them with good understandings and must be content sometimes with nothing but a few French nails and a piece of cowhide with which to accomplish it. His own socks he must darn and keep his temper while he does it. He must be his own carpenter and house decorator as well as furniture maker.

But he must also be his own lawyer, accountant and bookkeeper, and when the currency takes the form of cowrie shells, as it does in Uganda, where 300 tiny cowries make a shilling, it is not easy to keep the accounts right. He must marry and divorce, give judgments and baptize. He must be gardener, cook and dairy maid, grow his own food and look after his live stock. In addition to all this he is the parish minister to help and comfort all who come to him.—From "In Dwarf Land and Cannibal Country," A. B. Lloyd.

**ISTHMUS PLANTATION ASSOCIATION OF MEXICO,** C. M. KENDALL, Manager and General Agent Offices, First National Bank Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis.

**SAW BETTER DAYS.** Mansour, the horse that ran third in the grand prize of Paris in 1894, and came in only a length and a half behind Match Box, which sold for \$75,000, is now pulling a public cab in the streets of the gay capital.

No one would ever be bothered with constipation if everyone knew how naturally and quickly Burdock Blood Bitters regulates the stomach and bowels. Cures cropp, sore throat, pulmonary troubles—Monarch over pain of every sort. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

It's mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

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**TRADE WITH ASIA AND OCEANICA.**

For the first time in history our exports to Asia and Oceanica will exceed \$100,000,000 during the current fiscal year. In no part of the world has our trade grown with such amazing rapidity, except in South Africa, the total having increased 100 per cent in two years, for in 1898 our total exports to all Asia and Oceanica amounted only to a little more than \$27,000,000. The increase is chiefly in cottons, breadstuffs, provisions and manufactured goods.

**BUCHANAN, MICH., MAY 22.**

**GENESEE PURE FOOD CO., LE ROY, N. Y.** Gentleman—My mamma has been a great coffee drinker and has found it very injurious. Having used several packages of your GRAIN-O COFFEE, the drink that takes the place of coffee, she finds it much better for herself and for us children to drink. She has given up coffee drinking entirely. We use a package of Grain-O every week. I am ten years old.

Yours respectfully, FANNIE WILLIAMS.

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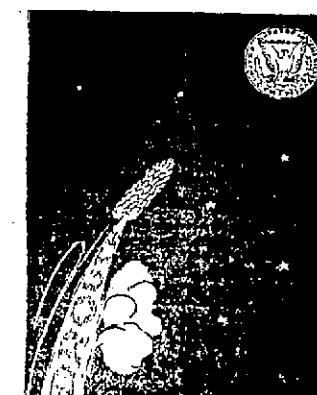
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Try BORNEO BLEND Coffee at per lb.

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Try Semishmoo BLOOD RED Salmon, per can

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## ALL WHITES SLAIN IN PEKIN.

Murder of the Foreigners Officially Confirmed.

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ed to relieve them? Is it jealousy?

Trying to Force a Crisis.  
It is possible that certain of the powers want to force upon China at any cost such a crisis as must follow the horrible condition which the news brings today. The edict I presented announcing the safety of the legations was written June 29. Here it is the 13th of July. Who can tell what has

Atkinson spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mrs. T. V. Rogers and children of Whitewater, went home Monday after a week's visit with relatives here.

Little Katie Vincent is quite sick. Dr. McNameus of Edgerton, is attending her.

Over one hundred persons attended the O. E. social here last Wednesday evening.

Visitors at church this week were Misses Rood, Nelson and Carr of Milton, and Marshal Coce of Milton Junction.

The thirteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham died suddenly Saturday from the effects of poison ivy. The funeral was held Sunday from Edgerton.

## CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS.

Reported by W. T. Carpenter, Commission Merchant and Broker, 214-216 Hayes Block, Chicago, July 16, 1900.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Aug.....	7521-34	7524	7514	7514
Sept.....	75-77%	75 4	75%	75%
Corn—				
Aug.....	42 41%	42%	39%	40%
Sept.....	42-42%	43	40%	40%
Oats—				
Aug.....	23%	23%	23%	23%
Sept.....	24	24	23%	24
Pork—				
July.....	\$	\$	\$	\$
Sept.....	12.47-50	12.50	12.45	12.25
Lard—				
July.....	6.85-87	6.85-87	6.75	6.80
Ribs—				
July.....	6.65-97	6.67	6.72	6.80
Sept.....				

## Cables.

Liverpool opening—Wheat, 3% lower. Corn, unchanged. Close—Wheat, 1d lower. Corn, 1d lower.

## Chicago Car Lot Receipts.

Today Estimated for tomorrow:

Wheat, 10%	Wheat, 10%
Corn, 12%	Corn, 10%
Oats, 18%	Oats, 10%

## Northwest Receipts (Wheat).

Today Last Week Year Ago

Chicago, 108	27	100
Minneapolis, 253	184	325
Duluth, 34	12	225
Total, 395	223	805

## Chicago Live Stock Market.

Hogs—Receipts, 33,000.

Bidged for tomorrow, 19,000.

Market, 1d lower.

Light—50-55%. Round—49-510.

Heavy—515-537%. Mixed—505-537%. Cattle—Receipts, 20,000. 10 lower.

Sheep Receipts, 22,000. Weak

Admiralty Weak on Geography.

During the Boer war of 1880 the admiralty was hopelessly ignorant of the geography of South Africa.

The admiral in charge of the fleet at Cape Town received strict orders that he was not on any account to bombard the town of Potchefstroom. Now, as Potchefstroom is a good many hundred miles from the seacoast and lies on the Moel river, which is barely 200 yards across and dry for three parts of the year, this order was superfluous.

During the same period the fleet was at Port Elizabeth, and the admiral headed dispatches to the admiralty from that port. By the next mail he again sent dispatches, but happened to head them Algoa bay.

The admiralty cabled out asking him what business he had to change the location of the fleet without instructions, sublimely ignorant of the fact that Port Elizabeth and Algoa bay are one and the same place.

By the way, the names Algoa bay and Delagoa bay are derived from the outward and homeward voyages of the old East Indians who, on their voyages to Goa, in India, were wont to call at Port Elizabeth on the outward voyage and at Lourenco Marques on the homeward voyage. Hence the names Algoa (to Goa) and Delagoa (from Goa).—Stray Stories.

## The Sultan's Barbarous Capital.

European ladies constantly run away with the idea that Constantinople is a civilized town and act accordingly. Then they are astonished when something disagreeable happens, and continually one hears of ladies being hustled, pinched or kissed by Turkish soldiers.

It must be remembered that the soldiers are recruited from the wildest tribes in Asia Minor, where woman is considered an inferior creature, who must give way to man, besides being trained to avoid him on all possible occasions.

One can easily imagine that such a soldier is astonished to see a European lady unveiled, boldly expecting him to give way to her or at any rate not avoiding him, and he naturally takes it to be an advance on her part. Ladies have often told me they have been pushed by soldiers into the gutter, and I have nearly always found that it is simply as I have explained, that neither makes way for the other, with the result that the lady, being the weaker, comes to grief.—London Telegraph.

OUR FORTY-FOUR" tea at 44¢ a pound is equal to any 50 cent grade. Dedrick Bros.

## STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that a regular term of the county court will be held in aid for said court at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 4th day of September, 1900, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard:

The application of M. Nelson for the adjustment and allowance of his account as executor of the will of E. Alvis, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of the estate to such other persons as by law and the will of said deceased are entitled thereto.—Dated July 15, 1900.

By the Court,  
J. W. SALE,  
County Judge.

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LOT 1—Ladies' Tan Shoes, in beautiful silk vesting top, sold all season at \$1.98. We close them out at our July Closing Sale at, per pair,

\$1.39

LOT 2—Splendid values were those Tan Shoes which we were selling at \$3.00 and \$2.50 a pair, including Hand Turned or McKay Flexible Soles in plain or vesting tops,

\$2.17

LOT 3—Julia Marlowe Tan Oxfords, regular \$2.50 shoes, Hand Turned, a pair, \$1.89 and Fancy Patent Leather Strap Sandals, with fancy bows

\$2.25

Vici Kid Slippers, of newest pattern, a pair,

\$1.50

## OXFORDS.

Every pair is being reduced so as not to carry over any for the coming fall. You can't afford to miss the bargains.

\$1.75 Oxford, in Lace and Front Gore, just the thing for warm weather comfort, at

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## Trimmed Millinery at Half.

Whatever you want in the line of trimmed Millinery can be bought in this department at half, and very low prices are the rule on all other lines.

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## Testimonials

We have plenty of them from people who reside in Janesville—people who have been benefited by the use of

## OXYDONOR?

Very simple to operate. We are anxious to hear from people suffering with rheumatism. Write me. I will call and explain.

## BEAUMONT DeFOREST.

No. 8 Oakland Ave. Dealer for Rock County.

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## Lamps

## Free to All.

Two dozen costly decorated crockery Lamps just received. Given away free with 100 tickets. These tickets you get with every purchase of Tea or Coffee. It will pay you to call and investigate this offer.

New crockery in handsome designs. We have a most complete assortment. All free.

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Track Machines \$60  
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Ride the Wolf-American with perfect ease and safety. Fred E. Green of the local well-known plumbing firm of Green & Allen, has bought one of the Wolf-Americans. Mr. Green weighs 280 pounds. No wheel will stand the test like a Wolf-American.

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FOR SALE—My residence property corner of Locust and Center streets. Property is a bargain as I desire to sell quickly. Frank Gray.

## MATINEE RACES ON FAIR GROUND TRACK

SPEED CONTESTS TO BE REVIVED IN JANESEVILLE.

Bower City Has Quite a Number of Evenly Classed Race Horses That Would Furnish Good Sport in Races—Neighboring Towns Would Be Invited to Participate.

We understand an effort is being made to revive local interest in speed contests by giving a series of cup or matinee races over the track at Bostwick Park—Fair Grounds.

While Janesville is not very well supplied with high class speed we have quite a number of evenly matched road horses that would furnish good sport in a speed contest.

Our neighbors, Edgerton, Beloit and Clinton, have many excellent high class trotters and pacers with records from 2:14 to 1:30. Should it be their pleasure to join our local horses a series of afternoon races can be arranged that will furnish most enjoyable entertainment.

No gateage will be charged. A small charge will be made, however, for the grand stand to secure money for keeping the track in repair.

This is the opening day at Detroit of the grand circuit series of harness racing events, extending over two months and embracing all important racing cities, east, west and south, terminating at Lexington, Ky., in September. The most important event today, and the most important of any having taken place this year is the Chamber of Commerce stake for 2:24 pacers for \$15,000. No doubt the winner will beat 2:08 if conditions are favorable. Tuesday will be trotted the Merchants and Manufacturers' stake for \$10,000. This is the most important for many reasons, trotting event of the year and is now recognized one of the classic events of the trotting turf.

The comparatively green pacer in Johnny Kelly's stable, Sydney Pointer, recently paced at Detroit a mile in 2:04, his horse Sarry, with a record of 2:12 trotted a mile in 2:10½.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY

All-Day Exercises of Rock County Sunday Schools at Janesville Grange Hall Yesterday.

Notwithstanding that the mercury was floating around the nineties, the mission school of Janesville, Mrs. P. F. McGee superintendent, Indian Ford, Mrs. Levi Hubbard superintendent, and Newville C. A. Whitney superintendent, gathered in Grange hall, three miles north of the city yesterday, for an all-day rally. The attendance was large.

The morning service was largely for the children, Mrs. McGee giving a beautiful lesson of fidelity, as shown between David and Jonathan; Mrs. Hubbard presented a paper on the results to be expected of faithful work; Miss Shoemaker gave a fine recitation, after which Arthur C. Whitney took up the union lesson of the day. Mr. Whitney is a graduate of our state institution that has done and is doing splendid educational work of which Janesville may well feel proud.

At noon the audience was invited to the dining hall below. Whatever had been lacking in supplying mental pabulum, was counterbalanced by tables loaded with all that the season afforded in furnishing a good dinner.

At two o'clock the meeting was called to order. Mr. J. H. Nicholson was first introduced, his theme being "Opportunity." A great subject ably handled. Rev. J. T. Henderson's address on "Bible Study, its Necessity, Value and Satisfaction" was just what was wanted.

Mr. L. K. Crissy gave a clear illustration of the conquering power of love. Mrs. Dr. Hedges emphasized the importance of Bible instruction. Dr. Hedges was in hearty sympathy with mission schools.

There was inspiration in the hearty singing which was sandwiched in between the talks.

## NEATH THE SHADOW OF DEATH

James Jameson.

James Jameson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jameson of Rock Prairie died at his home in Sioux Falls, S. D., last Thursday, his uncle, James Mouat having received a telegram to that effect. Mr. Jameson was well known in this section of the country having lived here for many years, his father, Thomas Jameson, being one of the oldest settlers in the county.

Charles Hinckley.

Charles Hinckley, father of the late C. B. Hinckley, died at the home of his son in Chicago, July 13, aged 87 years. Mrs. C. B. Hinckley accompanied the remains to Reedsburg, Wis., where they will be interred by the side of those of his wife who died in Janesville four years ago.

Mrs. Margaret Madden.

Mrs. Margaret Madden, who was well known in this city, died at her home in Chicago Wednesday night. Mrs. Madden will be remembered as Margaret Birmingham of Harvard, Ill. The funeral was held from the Holy Name Cathedral in Chicago, Friday morning. The interment was at Calvary cemetery.

Funeral of Mrs. James Conley.

The funeral of the late Mrs. James Conley, was held from St. Patrick's church yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. The Rev. Dean McGivney officiated. The interment was at Mount Olivet cemetery.

Funeral of Ella Haight.

The funeral of the late Ella Haight

was held at the family residence on South Academy street Saturday afternoon. Rev. Paul Werth of St. John's German Lutheran church officiating and the interment was in Oak Hill cemetery. The pall bearers were Artel Hammond, Arthur Schultz, Henry Muensch and Frank Behling.

## BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

SEE Dedrick Bros ad.

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GRUBER'S Best, \$1.20 a sack.

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FRESH fish. W. W. Nash,

LAKE Koshkonong fish. W. W. Nash.

SEE large ad. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

WANTED—Kitchen girl. Myers hotel.

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"FORTY FOUR" tea at 4¢ at Dedrick Bros.

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TITON'S famous India and Ceylon teas in tins at Grubb's.

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HEINZ evaporated horse radish, the finest. W. W. Nash.

"FORTY FOUR," Dedrick Bros.

SKINNED bull heads, pickles and black bass. W. W. Nash.

Smith's orchestra will play for the dance at the A. O. U. W. picnic.

Not a drop of water, not a drop of alcohol—Welch's grape juice. Grubb's.

Some valuable prizes are being pro-

cured for the A. O. U. W. picnic, July 26th.

GOLD Medal flour \$1.10 a sack. It

will soon be higher. Buy now. Ded-

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ARCHE REID & Co. advertise another

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ANNE BEID & Co. have the narrow

black velvet ribbon in ten yard pieces,

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courting room, and not given to car-

rier boys.

WE are selling regular 50¢ shirt waists

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waists for 50¢ and \$1.50 waists for 75¢. T. P. Burns.

MOONLIGHT excursion given by Y. P.

S. of Trinity church Monday, July 16.

Columbia leaves at 7:45 p. m. Tickets,

including dancing, 25 cents.

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MEMBERS of the Southern Wisconsin

Medical society will meet at the office of

Dr. James Miller this evening, to prepare

a program for the next meeting to be

held in this city September next.

"FORTY FOUR," Dedrick Bros.

The picnic and concert of the Imperial

bands was held at Crystal Springs yester-

day. A large crowd was in attendance

and spent the day wandering through

the shady groves and listening to the

concert given by the band.

"FORTY-four," Dedrick Bros.

HAD A NARROW ESCAPE

Joseph Garske Kicked by a Horse on

the Nose—The Animal Was

Not Shod.

Joseph Graske, a young man about

twenty years of age, residing with his

parents on the E. P. Wixson farm, had

a narrow escape this morning. While

walking through the barn in the rear of

the horses, one of them suddenly kicked

at him, striking him on the nose and

knocking him down. The injured man

was brought to this city and taken

to the office of Dr. E. E. Loomis, who

found upon examination that the young

man's nose was broken and the flesh cut

for about two inches. Dr. Loomis set

the broken member and took six

stitches to close up the cut. The young

man will have a sore face for some days.

It was a fortunate circumstance for him

that the horse was not shod and that he

was no closer, or the injury might have

been much worse.

EXCELLENT TRAIN SERVICE

All Who Attend the Grocerymen's Picnic Will Make the Trip in Luxury.

Those who attend the Grocerymen's

picnic to be held next Thursday at

Waukesha Beach, will travel in luxury.

Officials of the Chicago, Milwaukee &

St. Paul railroad have placed at the dis-

posal of the Grocerymen a number of

their most model cars. These cars have

all modern conveniences and are not the

kind ones usually found on a picnic excus-

sion. The two special trains will leave

Janesville in two sections thus enabling

everyone to secure seat. There will

be plenty of room for all, and no one

need fear of there not being ample ac-

commodations.

After Many Years

After lying in the dead letter office

for thirty-seven years, a letter has

been returned to a Smith Center, Kan.

man with the memoranda that his

brother cannot be found at the address

given.

## SOLDIERS TO MARCH AS IF IN THE FIELD

### NEW EXPERIENCE PLANNED FOR NATIONAL GUARDSMEN

Janesville and Beloit Men to Have Their First Taste of Camp Life, Although Many of the Men Have Been There Before—The Camp Plans.

Janesville militia men will have a new experience when they go to the annual encampment at Camp Douglaston this year. Each regiment is to be given a twenty-four hours practice march, under the same conditions as if they were in the field. Each regiment will be in camp for a week. On Thursday morning the regiment will start on a march, each man carrying his gun, knapsack, ammunition, cup and cooking outfit, one day's rations, and in addition one half of a shelter tent large enough for two men. The state now has only enough of these shelter tents for one battalion, but Adj't Gen Boardman has sent a request to Washington for 600 more

.. LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS..

BIG FIRE IN WESTERN CITY.

Business Section of Prescott, Ariz., Destroyed.

FIVE BLOCKS ARE LEVELED.

Many of the Leading Mercantile Houses, Banks, Newspapers and Hotels Burned.—The Loss About \$1,000,000—Dynamite Used to Check Fire.

Prescott, Ariz., July 16.—The greatest disaster in the history of Arizona occurred early Sunday morning, when the entire business district of this city was burned out, entailing a loss of over \$1,000,000, while a disabled waterworks system, laid up for temporary repairs, was worthless in fighting the flames. Four and one-half blocks of fine buildings were full in the path of the blaze, and not a portion of one was left standing. Dynamite was freely used in an effort to put a stop to the fire, but to no avail, and great explosions only gave more spread to conflagration and destroyed a number of structures which would have escaped the heat. The town was dry as a tinder from a drought of two months, and when fire started about midnight it spread like a flash and only stopped when it could burn no farther.

**Starts From an Overturned Candle.**  
The fire originated in Burchard's store, in South Montezuma street, from an overturned candle, and spread at once to the big Scovel building adjoining. From there it hurried through a block of squalid huts back to Granite street, where it swept north and then east to a long row of gambling dens and saloons. This row went up in a few moments, and then the blaze hurried over again to Gurley street and kept south till it found no more fuel. Farther up the flames had climbed across Montezuma street and attacked the principal buildings of the city. The progress up the hill toward East Prescott was rapid, and a thrill of dismay went through the great crowd of onlookers as it became apparent that Office row, the Santa Fe yards and ten blocks of residences were doubtless doomed. But here the flames were given an unexpected check. From the top of the Bellevue hotel two boys drenched with water the adjoining roofs and building fronts, and although scorched and blistered they fought the flames until there was no more danger, and half the residence portion was saved.

**List of Heaviest Losers.**  
Following are the heaviest losers: Bashford, Burnister company, \$25,000; Sam Hall, \$75,000; Hotel Burke, \$60,000; D. Levy & Co., \$40,000; Jake Marks, \$25,000; R. H. Burnister & Sons Co., \$20,000; C. A. Drake, \$20,000; Ed Block, \$25,000; J. W. Wilson, \$20,000; Kelly & Stephens, \$10,000; Journal-Miner, \$12,000; Bank of Arizona, \$10,000; Prescott national bank, \$10,000; Prescott house, \$9,000; W. H. Smith, \$10,000; The Courier, \$8,000; Golden Eagle hotel, \$8,000; Scovel block, \$15,000; F. G. Becht, \$10,000; Windsor hotel, \$10,000; Mountain City drug store, \$6,000; Brinkmeyer hotel, \$8,000; Cabinet saloon, \$10,000; Palace saloon, \$10,000; Prescott Electric Light company, \$5,000.

**Fourteen Saloons Burned Out.**  
In addition to the above there were fourteen saloons with losses ranging from \$1,000 to \$3,000. Five restaurants, five barber shops, two meat markets and sixty residences were destroyed. In many cases the losses mentioned do not include buildings. At daylight teams were at work hauling lumber to the public plaza for the erection of temporary buildings, and many of the burned-out firms will be ready for business in twenty-four hours.

**Ex-Senator Clark Sends \$1,000.**  
Ex-Senator W. A. Clark of the United Verde Copper company, who was visiting the works at Jerome, wired \$1,000 for relief fund. All the sufferers from the fire are provided with food, shelter and clothing, and it is not thought any outside assistance will be required. The only business houses remaining in the town are three dry-goods stores, three grocery stores, and two drug stores. The express and postoffice were both out of the fire limits, but the latter had a close call.

**Train Kills an Old Miner.**  
Brazil, Ind., July 16.—William Lawson, aged 58 years who was among the first coal miners to locate in this country was killed by a Vandale passenger train. He was walking on the track when the accident occurred. His body was thrown fifteen feet from the track. He leaves a wife and family.

**Drowned While Swimming.**  
Kewanee, Ill., July 16.—Jean Brookert, while trying to emulate his companions in feats of swimming, was drowned. He was a well-known young man.

**Boys Bound by Safe Robbers.**  
Akron, O., July 16.—Four masked robbers blew open the safe of Charles Y. Bussy's private bank at Hudson securing \$400. They bound and gagged two boys who were sleeping in the room, while the night watchman was held up at the muzzle of a revolver.

MISS GOULD BEFRIENDS A BOY.

Determines to Give a Michigan Youth a Chance to See the World.

Detroit, Mich., July 16.—A story comes from Calumet that is romantic and characteristic of Miss Helen Gould, the famous New York woman. On her western trip recently she passed through the copper country incognito. This is proved by the fact that Harry S. Jackson, the 16-year-old son of Captain Simeon Jackson of the Phoenix mine, left for New York Friday, with money sent to him by Miss Gould. While inspecting the Phoenix mine, in Ontonagon county, with a party, Miss Gould was impressed with the lad, who refused a tip for holding her horses. She questioned him closely and then asked him if he would not like to go to New York and take a position and, possibly, go abroad. He said he would think it over and later wrote accepting her offer. A check came for \$80, with instructions to come as soon as possible. He came to Calumet Friday, where he purchased a ticket over the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railroad for New York, via Mackinac.

**Panic in Park Hurts Many.**

Paris, July 16.—At the conclusion of the fireworks display at the Place de la Concorde Saturday in honor of the national holiday, the crowds tried to disperse along the neighboring thoroughfares, but found it impossible to move and they were packed like herrings in a barrel. Men, women and children began pushing, and a panic occurred. Women fainted by scores, and many children were trodden under foot. At least 100 women were carried to the cafes in the neighborhood. It is impossible to tell how many were injured. No deaths have been reported as yet, although it is a marvel that none has occurred, as fifty died on a similar occasion in the exposition in 1867, and at the time of the marriage of Louis XIV. with Marie Antoinette 200 were killed.

**Three Die of Diphtheria.**

Rockford, Ill., July 16.—Martha Zook, 16 years old, is dead from diphtheria at the Mount Carmel home and orphanage at Franklin Corners, Whiteside county. The victim was buried toward night, with no service except a prayer. She was a daughter of the Rev. Noah Zook, a brother of the founder of the home. This makes three deaths, and at least six others are down with the disease in the Zook institution. The first to die was the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abram Zook, the second was the Chicago child and the third Martha Zook. The supervisor, Charles Denmon, has had a physician visit the place.

**Tornado Wrecks Texas Town.**

Austin, Tex., July 16.—News has been received here over the Austin & Northwestern railroad wires to the effect that a cyclone struck Llano, Tex., a town of about 2,000 inhabitants. The freight depot was demolished and several houses unroofed. The Algona house was wrecked and the stone residence of N. J. Badue unroofed and all the windows blown out. The residence of Dr. Ingalls was wrecked. Many persons received injuries. Among the most seriously hurt are Mrs. N. J. Badue and Mrs. Finkla. Full particulars cannot be obtained, as all communication is now cut off.

**Americans Condemned to Die.**

New York, July 16.—A report was circulated here to the effect that Lieutenant Tossel and S. Gilligan, members of the Chicago Irish-American ambulance corps, who went to the Transvaal last February in the interest of the boers, had been condemned to death by a British court-martial at Pretoria for attempting to blow up the Pretoria powder magazine. At the headquarters in the Morton house of the New York committee to aid the south African republics it was said that neither of these men was a member of the ambulance corps.

**Find Capt. M. A. Healy Insane.**

Port Townsend, Wash., July 16.—Upon the complaint of Dr. Gardner, in charge of the United States Marine hospital, Capt. M. A. Healy, of the United States revenue cutter McCulloch was examined by the county board of physicians, who pronounced him insane, and a commitment to an asylum was issued. It is understood he will be sent to Washington to the national asylum.

**Fund for a Brave Fireman.**

San Francisco, July 16.—The fund raised for the benefit of the family of Fireman Sweeney, who was burned to death while saving an old man's life a few weeks ago, has been closed. It amounts to \$18,405 and will be invested in government bonds, to be held in trust for the widow and children.

**Earthquake Does Much Harm.**

St. Petersburg, July 16.—Severe earthquakes in the Kars and Kagrman districts of the Caucasus mountains resulted in the destruction of five villages, several churches and many houses. Six persons were killed and nine injured. Additional shocks are still being reported.

The favorite whisky of famous men is Harpers, because of its smooth, exquisite flavor; because of its matchless purity; because of its mellow age. No wonder it's the favorite. Every drop sterilized. Sold by J. F. Sweeney, Janesville, Wis.

Confess to a Brutal Murder.

Dallas, Tex., July 16.—Three Mexicans have been committed to jail at Sherwood, Iron county, to await the action of the grand jury. They are charged with the murder of Henry Vose in his store at Sherwood. The murder of Vose was peculiarly atrocious, the motive being robbery. He was hanged by the neck until nearly strangled and finally shot through the heart. The Mexicans confessed the details in open court.

**Condition of the Treasury.**

Washington, July 16.—The statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, \$149,345,576; gold, \$69,597,915; silver, \$8,856,372.

**R. G. Dun Is Dying Slowly.**

Newport, R. I., July 16.—R. G. Dun, head of the Dun Mercantile agency and senior member of the firm of R. G. Dun & Co. of New York, is seriously ill at his summer home at Narragansett Pier and it is believed by those fully informed that the end is a question of only a few weeks, if not days.

**Having a Great Run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.**

Manager Martin, of the Pierson drug store, informs us that he is having a great run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sells five bottles of that medicine to one of any other kind and it gives great satisfaction. In these days of la grippe there is nothing like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to stop the cough, heal up the sore throat and lungs and give relief within a very short time. The sales are growing and all who try it are pleased with its prompt action.

—South Chicago Daily Calumet. For sale by Smith's Pharmacy, next to post office, Kodak agents.

Reduced Rates to La Crosse, Wis. via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

July 16 to 18, inclusive, good to return until July 20, at one and one-third fare for the round trip, account of convention of Catholic Knights and State Dental association.

**Agricultural Students from Argentine.**  
The twenty or more young gentlemen from the Argentine Republic who have recently come to the United States to study agriculture and stock raising at the expense of their government are now in Baltimore, Philadelphia and Brooklyn, diligently learning the English language, in order that they may make the best use of the advantages that are to be offered them next fall in the agricultural colleges they will enter.

**Scarcening Requirement.**

It is stated that one of the qualifications necessary for admission to the Home for Sick and Indigent Actors will be that the applicant never lied about his or her salary.—New York Evening Sun.

**Red Cross Founder Dies.**

Dr. Henri Dunant, who did so much to humanize war, is living almost penitent in the hospice of Helden in Appenzell, Switzerland. He was instrumental in founding the Red Cross society by a literary work called "Un Souvenir de Solferino," in which he described vividly the sufferings of the wounded and aroused the conscience of Europe. The Geneva convention of 1864 resulted, and the neutrality of hospital and ambulance service was established.



The young couple always together before marriage rarely keep up this happy intimacy as man and wife. They are not tired of each other, but the young wife finds herself weak and languid, with no inclination for exercise. And thus begins a division of pursuits and interests which often ends in divided lives. The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong. It stops the drains which undermine the strength, cures "female weakness," nourishes the nerves and gives vigor to the whole body.

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The majority of persons upon reaching middle age and past find their blood becomes weak and thin, and diseases that were easily controlled in earlier life begin to affect the constitution.

Those predisposed to Scrofula, Cancer, Rheumatism, Gout and other hereditary troubles may escape till then, but as they age the blood, so long tainted and weakened by accumulated waste matters, is no longer able to properly nourish the body, and it becomes an easy mark for disease. At this critical period of life the blood must be re-enforced before it can perform its legitimate functions and rid the system of these poisons, and nothing so surely and effectually does this as S. S. S.

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If you have an old running sore or an obstinate ulcer that refuses to heal, or are troubled with boils and carbuncles, try S. S. S. It never fails to make a quick and permanent cure of these pests. If your system is run down and you feel the need of a tonic, S. S. S. will strengthen and help you as it has many others to a happy, healthy old age.

Mrs. D. R. Johnson, of Blackshear, Ga., was for years afflicted with a severe type of rheumatism, and had used every remedy known and recommended as a cure without receiving any benefit. S. S. S. promptly reached the seat of the disease and made a complete and permanent cure.

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## COMING CONVENTIONS AND CAUCUSES

## First Assembly District Convention

A Republican convention for the First Assembly district of Rock county, will be held at the common council chamber in the city of Janesville, Wisconsin, on Wednesday, the 18th day of July at two (2) o'clock p.m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Republican State convention to be held at the city of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, August 8, 1900, to nominate a Republican state ticket to be voted for at the general election in November next, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The representation of the several cities and towns is as follows:—city of Janesville, First ward ten (10); Second ward six (6); Third ward ten (10); Fourth ward eight (8); Fifth ward four (4); town of Janesville three (3); town of Rock three (3); town of La Prairie three (3).

Dated June 10, 1900.

By order of the county committee,

THOS. S. NOLAN, Chairman,  
W. A. JACKSON, Secretary.

## Second Assembly District Convention

A Republican convention for the Second Assembly District of Rock County, will be held in the Circuit Court room at the Court House in the city of Janesville, on Wednesday, the 18th day of July, at two (2) o'clock P.M., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Republican State convention to be held at the city of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, August 8, 1900, to nominate a Republican state ticket to be voted for at the general election in November next, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The representation of the several cities and towns is as follows:—city of Evansville, First ward two (2), second ward three (3), third ward three (3); city of Edgerton six (6); Union four (4); Fulton four (4); Porter four (4); Attoone nine (9); Lima four (4); Magnolia three (3); Harmony three (3); Johnston three (3); Center four (4); Bradford two (2).

Dated June 10, 1900.

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THOS. S. NOLAN, Chairman,  
W. A. JACKSON, Secretary.

## Third Assembly District Convention

A Republican convention for the Third Assembly district of Rock county, will be held at the G.A.R. hall in the city of Janesville, on Wednesday, July 18, 1900, at two (2) o'clock p.m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Republican State convention to be held at the city of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, August 8, 1900, to nominate a Republican state ticket to be voted for at the general election in November next, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The representation of the several cities and towns is as follows:—Avon three (3); town of Beloit, two (2); Beloit City, First ward six (6); Second ward seven (7); Third ward six (6); Fourth ward nine (9); Fifth ward five (5); town of Clinton four (4); Clinton village three (3); Newark four (4); Plymouth five (5); Spring Valley five (5); Turtle four (4).

Dated June 10, 1900.

By order of the County Committee,

THOS. S. NOLAN, Chairman,  
W. A. JACKSON, Secretary.

## Republican County Convention

A Republican convention for the County of Rock, State of Wisconsin, will be held in the Circuit Court room, County Court House, in the city of Janesville, on said day at two (2) o'clock p.m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following county offices, to be voted for at the general election in November next: County clerk, sheriff, coroner, clerk of the circuit court, district attorney, register of deeds, and surveyor, and for such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The representation of the several towns, villages and wards in said convention will be as follows:—Porter, four (4); Fulton, four (4); Magnolia, three (3); Center, four (4); Lima, three (3); Johnston three (3); La Prairie, three (3); Spring Valley, five (5); Plymouth, five (5); Rock, three (3); La Prairie, three (3); Bradford, two (2); Avon, three (3); Union, four (4); town of Beloit, two (2); Turtle, four (4); town of Clinton, four (4); village of Clinton, three (3); city of Janesville, six (6); city of Evansville, first ward, two (2); second ward, three (3); third ward, three (3); city of Beloit, first ward, six (6); second ward, seven (7); third ward, six (6); fourth ward, nine (9); fifth ward, twelve (12); town of Janesville: first ward, ten (10); second ward, six (6); third ward, ten (10); fourth ward, eight (8); fifth ward, four (4).

Dated June 10, 1900.

By order of the Rock County Republican Committee,

THOMAS S. NOLAN, Chairman,  
W. A. JACKSON, Secretary.

## MRS. ELEANOR DUNCAN WOOD.

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The object of the Nomads is distinct-

ly literary. A glance at the pro-

gramme of the past season shows that

much has been accomplished by these

ambitious women who have worked in

the true spirit of progress. During the

15 meetings of the club, beginning Oct.

4 and ending on the 25th of April, the

works of Thackeray, Browning, Ten-

nyson, Charles Reade, Mrs. Humphry

Ward, Hawthorne, Lytton, George

Eliot, Carlyle, Arnold, Irving, Howells

and Kipling were studied and discuss-

ed. The club is limited to 25 members,

and each one has taken some part in

the programme of the year. Club teas

have given variety to the programme

and encouraged the social purposes of

the meetings.

To Mrs. Eleanor Duncan Wood the

success of the programme is partly due.

Mrs. Wood is the author of several

magazine stories of marked merit and

has a promising literary career before

her, being a young woman with a de-

cided talent for the writing of fiction.

In the prettiest section of the Berk-

shire hills Mrs. Mary E. Benemelis has

located what she thinks will turn out a

Klondike. She is preparing to mine

gold on her property and has been as-

signed by a government assayer that

the ore assays from \$100 to \$175 a ton.

The find was accidentally made, but

notwithstanding that Mrs. Benemelis

and her family are nothing loath to

benefit by their good fortune.

Up to the time of the arrival of Miss

Ella Scarlet in Korea all the wives of

the emperor had been without medical

attendance. Miss Scarlet, who holds

degrees from both London and Brus-

sels, has left her home in England to

look after their physical well being.

What success she will have remains to

be seen, for she is the only doctor

among those 11,000,000 inhabitants.

The beautiful heiress Miss Mary

Crocker of San Francisco is to marry

Mr. Francis Burton Harrison, the son

of the novelist.

Clubs are being formed almost daily

by ambitious American women. Many

of these clubs have high aims, while

others seem comparatively trivial, but

there is one club known as the Nomads

in Maysville, Ky., which besides serv-

ing as a stimulus to active minds pos-

sesses a model club constitution that

might well be emulated by other clubs

whose purposes are less clearly de-

fined.

In some features the constitution of

the Nomads does not differ from that

adopted by the average society when

sensibly directed, but in this particular

constitution the crying evil of nonat-

tendance is treated with a dignity and

firmness which argue well for the fu-

ture of the club.

The responsibility of membership is

treated so vigorously and so well that

it cannot be other than of interest to

the readers to have me quote all of

that part of the constitution which re-

lates to it. So here it is:

"Members: Section 1. All members

shall pay an annual fee of 50 cents at

the first regular meeting of the club.

"Sec. 2. Any members coming in after

roll call shall pay a fine of 5 cents at

the following meeting. In cases of

sickness or absence from the city mem-

bers shall be fined 10 cents, otherwise

25 cents.

"Sec. 3. Any member absenting her-

self from the club for three consecutive

meetings without cause for such ab-

sence shall no longer be considered a

member.

"Sec. 4. Any member failing to per-

form her duty at the specified time to

provide a substitute in case of her own

inability to attend to it or to arrange

for it in such manner as may be entir-

ely satisfactory to the programme com-

mittee shall be subject to a fine of \$5

or to loss of membership in the club.

"Sec. 5. Each member shall respond

to roll call with a quotation or be fined

5 cents.

"Sec. 6. Each member shall be im-

mediately suspended for three months

from the club if he fails to pay his

dues for three consecutive months.

"Sec. 7. The membership shall be im-

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"Sec. 8. All excuses for absence must

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